

SENATE RESOLUTION 152

By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Christy Marie Burgess,
2007 Valedictorian of Wartburg Central High
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Christy Marie Burgess is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2007 graduating class at Wartburg Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Christy Burgess has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Burgess has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America, Anchor Club, Beta Club, and Renaissance; she was also named to *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and was a *Knoxville News-Sentinel* Academic Achiever; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Burgess's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Christy's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jimmy and Gail Burgess, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Christy Burgess's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007

Wartburg Central High School Valedictorian, Christy Marie Burgess, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.